

Mr. Leslie Bittenson

Nominee For: Solid Waste Facilities Hearing
Board

Nominated By: Supervisor Knabe

STATEMENT OF QUALIFICATIONS

Please Type or Print

Name LESLIE BITTENSON Female ☒ Male

City where you reside CHATSWORTH

Education BROOKLYN TECH - L.I. AGRICULTURAL
TECHNICAL INST (NEW YORK STATE UNIV) BROOKLYN
POLYTECHNIC INST

Occupation RETIRED 1999 Employer _____

Former Business/Professional Experience VICE PRESIDENT

EMERY AIR FREIGHT - PRES. WTC AIR FRT. VICE PRES

BFI WASTE SYSTEMS, VICE PRES USA WASTE SYST

V.P. WASTE MANAGEMENT INC

Organizational Affiliations (professional, business,
homeowner, etc.)

FORMER CHAIRMAN ST VINCENTS HOSP. FOUNDATION

Are you generally available for daytime or nighttime
Commission meetings? Yes ☒ No _____

If no, please explain _____

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Are you registered to vote in Los Angeles County?

Yes X No _____

Have you ever been convicted, fined, imprisoned, placed on probation, received a suspended sentence or forfeited bail for any offense (except non-moving traffic violations) by any court (including convictions dismissed under Penal Code Section 1203.4)?

Yes _____ No X

If yes, what offense or offenses:

At the present time, do you hold any position with any public entity?

Yes X No _____

If yes, what public entity or entities and what position or positions?

L.A. COUNTY SOLID WASTE FACILITIES
HEARING BOARD

A statement of duties and/or qualifications of the position for which you are being considered is attached. Please read the statement and write below why you are particularly suited to serve the people of the County of Los Angeles in this position. You may attach additional sheets of paper for your response (optional).

I HAVE BEEN RESPONSIBLE FOR THE ADMINISTRATION
AND OPERATION OF SOLID WASTE COLLECTION COMPANIES,
TRANSFER STATIONS, MATERIAL RECOVERY FACILITIES (MRF'S)
RECYCLING CENTERS AND LANDFILLS (INCLUDING PERMITTING)
FOR OVER TWENTY YEARS AS WELL AS THE ACQUISITION OF COMPANIES IN
ALL FACETS OF THE INDUSTRY, WITHIN AND OUTSIDE OF
L.A. COUNTY. I HAVE HAD NO AFFILIATION WITH
ANY OF MY PRIOR EMPLOYERS FOR OVER 5 YEARS.

Please indicate the names, addresses, and phone numbers of references (optional):

CONSENT AND CERTIFICATION

I have reviewed the attached description of qualifications and duties for the position. I am able to perform all duties. I am willing to serve.

I acknowledge that the County of Los Angeles may contact other entities or other persons to confirm information I have provided. I consent to these contacts.

I certify that all statements and representations made in this Statement of Qualifications are true and correct.

Dated: 5/19/08


(Signature)

IT WOULD BE MY PLEASURE TO
CONTINUE TO SERVE THE COUNTY AS
DON KNABE'S APPOINTEE



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**ACKNOWLEDGEMENT OF CONFLICT OF INTEREST
INFORMATION**

I acknowledge that I have been advised that Los Angeles County has made advance disclosure of potential Conflicts of Interest applicable to all members of commissions, committees and boards.

This means among other things, that I will disqualify myself from participation in any governmental matters in which I have an economic interest. If I have any questions regarding the propriety of my participation in such governmental matters, I will consult with the County Counsel.

I have also received a copy of applicable definitions and explanation of the requirements.



(Signature)



(Date)

LOS ANGELES COUNTY COMMISSIONERS

COUNTY-RELATED FINANCIAL DISCLOSURE QUESTIONNAIRE

The following questionnaire requests certain information with respect to the financial and other interests that may be connected with the County or with your duties as a commissioner, committee member, or board member. In the spirit of the purposes of such disclosure, your answers should be liberally construed to disclose any interests that might be reasonably expected to be particularly affected by commission/committee/board action or to be disclosed in the public interest. Before answering any of the questions, please read the definitions listed below carefully; they are intended to further your understanding of the types of information that should be disclosed.

NOTE: The information called for in the financial disclosure questionnaire relates only to income, real property, investments, or business interests which are the subject of business transactions with the County, or which are subject to the regulation, inspection, or enforcement authority of the County or of the commission, committee or board for which you are being considered for appointment. YOU ARE NOT REQUIRED to disclose this information if such is not the case.

When describing any investment of business interest, you need only describe it sufficiently to identify it. Thus, with respect to real property, the address or other precise identification of the location would be given. With respect to ownership interests in business entities the name of the business entity and a statement of the nature of your interest (e.g., common stock, partnership interest, director, trustee, etc.) is sufficient. With respect to disclosure of remuneration, the business entity that is the source should be described, but the nature of the income (e.g., dividends, salary, etc.) need not be described.

DEFINITIONS

"Interest in real property" includes any leasehold, beneficial or ownership interest or an option to acquire such an interest in real property if the fair market value of the interest is greater than one thousand dollars (\$1,000). Interests in real property of an individual include a pro rata share of interests in real property of any business entity or trust in which the individual or his immediate family owns directly, indirectly or beneficially, a ten percent interest or greater.

"Investment" means any financial interest in or security issued by a business entity, including but not limited to common stock, preferred stock, rights, warrants, options, debt instruments and any partnership or other ownership interest, if the business entity or any parent, subsidiary or otherwise related business entity has an interest in real property in the County, or does business with the county, plans to do business with the County,

or has done business with the County at any time during the last two years. No asset shall be deemed an investment unless its fair market value exceeds one thousand dollars (\$1,000). The term "investment" does not include a time or any insurance policy, interests in a diversified mutual fund registered with the Securities and Exchange Commission under the Investment Company Act of 1940 or a common trust fund which is created pursuant to Section 1564 of the Financial Code, or any bond or other debt instrument issued by any government or government agency. Investments of an individual DO include a pro rata share of investments of any business entity or trust in which the individual or his immediate family owns directly, indirectly or beneficially, a ten percent interest or greater.

"Income" means income of any nature from any source including, but not limited to, any salary, wage, advance, payment, dividend, interest, rent, capital gain, or return of capital. Income of an individual also includes a pro rata share of any income of any business entity or trust in which the individual or his immediate family owns directly, indirectly or beneficially, a ten percent interest or greater.

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QUESTIONNAIRE

(For reappointments, list income since last questionnaire)

1. List all contracts entered into, bid on, or negotiated with the County or any county board, commission, or committee either as an individual or by any business in which you or your immediate family owns directly, indirectly or beneficially, a ten percent interest or greater.

NONE

2. List each source of income aggregating more than \$250 during the last 12 months derived from real property that you or your immediate family owns directly, indirectly or beneficially and is leased or rented by the County or is subject to regulation, inspection, or enforcement authority of the County or the board, commission, or committee for which you are being considered for appointment.

NONE

3. List any source of income (aggregating more than \$250 during the last 12 months) that has regular transactions with any County agency, board, committee or commission.

NONE

4. List all investments worth more than \$1,000 in entities in which you or your immediate family owns directly, indirectly or beneficially, a ten percent interest or greater, and provides or sells services or supplies utilized by the County or are subject to regulation, inspection, or enforcement authority of the County or of the board, commission, or committee for which you are being considered for appointment.

None

5. List the name of any business entity for which you were a director, officer, partner, trustee, or employee or for which you held any position of management that is the subject of any business transactions with the County or which is subject to regulation, inspection, or enforcement authority of any County agency or by the board, commission, or committee for which you are being considered for appointment.

None
